

OFFICE OF STATE PROCUREMENT

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DELEGATION ORDER

I, Joseph A. Giddis, as Director of the Office of State Procurement, do hereby authorize the University of Arkansas to purchase satellite transponder time for providing satellite distance learning services.

It has been determined that procurement of satellite time using normal bidding procedures is not practicable or advantageous. The available sources, the time and place of performance, and other relevant circumstances, such as short advance notice and rescheduling of previous commitments, requires flexibility not afforded in the bidding process.

Purchase Orders may be issued utilizing the Sole Source purchase code.

The above authority shall remain in force until June 30, 2007.

STATE OF ARKANSAS, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION OFFICE OF STATE PROCUREMENT

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JOSEPH A.GIDDIS, DIRECTOR